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Issues of the Day

Howard and Wyatt.

Sir,-In the Howard-Wyatt matter

would suggest that the board let the dead

bury its dead, and look after real live facts.

I strongly believe our citizens desire live, active police officers, who will do their duty, and not those who are police in name of the contraction.

in name only,

I would suggest that the board place
Howard and Wyatt in the scale of justice, and if Howard outwelghs Wyatt,
netain him. If Wyatt outweighs Howard,
give him Howard's place. Don't you think
this would be a good plan? Would it not,
meet with the approval of the intelligent
BASHEUL BOOTS.

A Hint to the Legislature.

Sir,-Delegate W. A. Willeroy surely

has lost his balance and forgotten that

he was once a countryman. The pride of the housewife, as well as her chief rev-

the housewife, as well as nor chef fer-ence, is her poiltry, and without the pro-tection of dogs during the summer months minks, weasels and foxes would run riot with her fowls, saying nothing of the hordes of rabbits that would play havoo

hordes of rabbits that wellid play havos with vegetables. Just last summer a neighbor for some reason kept her dogs chained, and foxes destroyed one hundred turkays. Another family near by lost twenty-four turkeys in midday by a fox that came in one hundred yards of her house. They kept no dogs. I keep three house, het says production gentlement along her says production gentlement.

men alone, but as a protection against these intruders. I hope the gentleman will withdraw this bill, and instead in-troduce one protecting the housewife against hawks that are also destructive

The Game Laws.

Sir,-I notice in your issue of to-day

that Mr. Willeroy, of King William county, has offered a bill in the House for

dogs.

I would like to say more, but write this hastily and have not time.

Yours truly,

THOS. F. WILLIAMS,

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The Income Tax.

A year ago we called attention to the subject of income tax in Virginia and showed by the auditors report that the total revenue from this source in 1902 was \$54,223.15, and that in several countles no income tax whatever was even assessed, while in most of them the amount was ridiculously small. The auditor's report for 1903 does not show much improvement over that of 1902. The total income tax assessed in 1903 throughout the entire State amounted to \$79,700.61, of which the counties paid \$19,631.31, and the cities \$51,069:30. In other words, the eighteen cities in the State paid nearly three times as much income tax as the one hundred counties. The countles, Amelia, Bland, Buchanan, Carroll, Charles City, Essex, Floyd Fluvanna, Grayson, Greene, Highland, James City King George, King and Queen, Lee Mathews, Middlesex, Patrick, Russell, Scott, Spotsylvania and Stafford returned not a dollar on the income tax account According to this report we are to beone of those counties who has an income exceeding \$600 a year. Only four counties in the State-Albe-

marle, Henrico, Tazewell and Wise-returned as much as \$1,000 in income tax. Henrico heads the list with \$2,053, while the county of Wise comes next with \$2,-048.29; Saroline returned \$5; Dickenson \$3; Sussex \$1.50; Westmoreland \$1. The county of Prince Edward, which is

not regarded as one of the wealthiest countles in the State by any means re-turned \$760.90, while the county of Norfolk, in which the great trucking interest is carried on, returned \$333.30.

The city of Richmond returned on this acount \$26,199.69, which was nearly \$7,000 more than the income assessment of all the counties in the State, and was more than twice as great as the income assessment against all the other cities in the State. The city of Lynchburg was assessed \$6,684.65, while the city of Norfolk was assessed \$5,703.90. The whole amount of income tax assessed against the negroes of the Commonwealth was \$35.50.

We again direct attention to this subject by way of showing that the income tax in Virginia is almost a farce, and some measures should be taken to enforce the assessment and collection on this account, else the whole system should be abolished. It is manifestly unequal and unfair, as the assessment now goes, and doubtless many men decline to give in an income tax because they know that the great majority of taxpayers ignore it altogether.

An Impossible Situation

The Board of Police Commissioners has thoroughly investigated the charges against William H. Wyatt, and finds that he "Is an honest, truthful man and an efficient, faithful and courageous officer, and that the evidence introduced by the chief of police is not sufficient to justify the opinion he expressed of Policeman Wyatt."

That is a complete vindication for Wyatt, and disposes of the charge, so far as he is concerned, and the people generally are gratified, for this man has proven himself to be one of the shrewdest most industrious and most efficient policemen the city has ever had.

But what of the chief of police? In spite of Wyatt's officiency, the chief charged that his character was such as to make him an unfit person to serve on the force. Yet the board declares, after having given Mr. Howard every opportunity to prove his charge, that Wyatt Is an honest, truthful man, and a faithful and courageous officer.

Wythe, \$8,500, and many other countles

This includes the amount paid on ac count of roads, bridges, land damages, miaries of overseer and so on. The total disbursements under this head and mder the head of 'disbursements by districts" makes the total for the whole State of more than \$600,000, Virginia has been expending annually something like that sum on her roads for many years past, and yet in numbers of the counties there is not a mile of good, honest road to show for the outlay. If the work had been mapped out by a competent engineer and carried on under suc direction, to-day we should have had good roads in all parts of the State. But most cases the money has been wasted, and that is why so many taxpayers are indifferent to the subject.

The Whipping Post. Deleware still holds to the whipping post as a cherished institution. But from reports recently given out, this mode of

punishment does not appear to an outsider to be very effective as a means of preventing crime. The warden of the New Castle county

Delaware) workhouse, speaking at a Wilmington conference on prison questions the other day, made this state-

ment:
Since November 22, 1001, fifty-four men have been whipped the second time, four-teen the third, four the fourth time, and one the fifth time, at least. This, I am sure, is nowhere near the full number, for the convicts come back under assumed names, and in many instances I am unable to tell if they have previously been punished.

Experts in penology are agreed that any punishment which tends to degrade the eriminal, to destroy self-respect and to brutalize him, is the worst form of punishment. It is true that the main object of punishing crime is to deter others from committing crime, and the whipping post may be effective in that direction. But the government is supposed to have a more humane purpose in view. It should endeavor to reform the criminal and make of him a good citizen. But it is hard to believe that this can be accomplished by resore to the brutality and degradition of the whipping post.

The Primary Law.

Our Washington correspondent says that every member of the Virginia delegation in the House of Representatives is understood to be opposed to the Machen primary bill now pending in the Virginia Legislature. Among those expressing opposition to it was Congressman William A. Jones, who is one of the strongest advocates in the party of the primary method of choosing candidates. At the State Democratic Convention held in Roanoke in 1901, Mr. Jones offered a strong resolution committing the party to the primary principle and has since done everything in his power in advocacy of the plan.

But Mr. Jones thinks that the primary law should be very simple and general in its provisions, throwing around primary elections the protection and safeguards of the law, but leaving the details largely to the party authorities.

That is also the view of Mr. Glass Mr. Flood and Mr. Lamb, and it is the view of The Times-Disputch.

In an editorial article plainty intended to be just, the Century Magazine notes the Bassett incident, and refers to pre-vious instances of towarace in the South. vious instances of tobrance in the South. The Century recalls the remarkable case of Petigru, the great Charleston lawyer, who was elected by the hot-blooded people of his city to offices of trust throughout the Civil War in spite of his bold and inveterate opposition to the war itself. But the comparison of this case with that of Profesor Bassett betrays lack of appreciation of Southern con-

Petigru's uncompromising assertion of his opinion with regard to secession did not strike at the security of the funda-mental principis of society; Professor Bassett's reckless talk about "equality" did. There is one thing that the people of the South will not tolerate, and in that they are like the people of every other part of the country. They regard publications like 'Dr. Bassett's just as they regard an as other Americans regard anarchistic propaganda.—Norfok Landnuck Landmark.

Suppose any college professor should tion an article in advocacy of polygamy, would the cry of intolerance be raised if he should be summarily dismissed from the institution? But is not miscegenation thousand times worse than polygamy And does not social equality lead logically and inevitably to miscegenation? The South is intolerant on this subject, and must be, if the integrity of the whole race is to be preserved.

We have a letter from Trinity College, in which the writer says that Professor Bassett does not believe in social equal iny. We have no idea that he does. But that is necessarily the result of the doctrine which he has preached.

The police of Baltimore are having time of it" also. The grand jury of that city has censured those of the Western Police District for criminal careless ness.

A certain slot machine was taken to the station house to be used in evidence against an accused. It was broken into and robbed while in the custody of the

The helr to an estate in New York recently applied to the court for an allowance of \$50,000 a year, alleging that he could not live on less than that sum in the style which was expected of a man position. Fifty thousand a year seems to most of us a pretty liberal allowance. But this is a luxurious age, and it would appear from the statement of this young person that \$50,000 is the pace of the New York smart-net, It would have been entertaining, indeed, if he had submitted to the court an itemized bill of estimates. How can a young man spend

\$50,000 n year? The public school teachers of Brooklyn are reported to be almost unanimously in favor of having restored to them the privilege of spanking or strapping un-They have sent a letter to the board of education on the subject.

The boys have not been asked to give their views, but we daresay their opin on may be guessed.

When they commence "sterilizing" the money of the county, as has been proposed, the rush for positions in the sterllizing department will be something like the approach of an army with banners.

With the pot hunter working overtime, in violation of law, and the snow hiding all the feeding grounds, there will be a scarcity of game in old Virginia when next season opens.

There were no microbes in the old State bank notes that looked so beautiful in the good old days, "way yonder 'fore

King Edward can't even have a splurge at the opening of Parliament without being set back by the weather or something

The real estate men saw very little cal estate in Richmond this trip, but they knew what was under the snow, And it would seem that the boom of

General Miles was one of the things that was also snowed under. Radium will soon have its day, but then some other "fakium" will bob up and claim a little day,

Virginia ground hogs saw enough shadows yesterday to make dark weather for six weeks to come.

In any event, Maryland will continue for some time to be a kind of Democrate

Norfolk county entered a plea of not gullty when the caucus met. Nevertheless, Officer Wyatt will not be

a candidate for Mayor. There can be such a thing as too much of the beautiful.

Personal and General. Samuel Roads, legislator, editor, au-thor and founder of the famous Sea Ser-pent Club, of Marblehead, Mass., has just

Rev. C. J. K. Jones, of Unitarian Church Los Angeles, Cal., has resigned, and pro-poses to devote his attention to the study of the insect pests that destroy the fruit trees of the Pacific slope.

Maurice Vignaux, the French billiard expert, retains the billiard championship of the world through defeating George Sutton, the American player, 500 points to 406 points, in a game just played in Paris.

Mrs. Cornelia Osgood Tyler, wife of a retired officer of the United States army, and prominent in Washington society, has completed a comic opera, called "A Ve-netian Romance," which is soon to be produced.

Mr. Pitman Pulsifer, clerk of the Sen-ate Committee on Naval Affairs, has comate Committee on Naval Affairs, has completed a very useful volume of annual appropriation laws from 183 to 193, including provisions for the construction of all vessels of the new navy. This has been printed by direction of the Schute.

A Few Foreign Facts.

A steel-like grass from the volcante sicres of Oran, Algeria, is so clacify that it can be used instead of springs in the manufacture of furniture.

Work is to begin immediately on the erection of a large museum in Ottawa, to be called the Victoria National Museum, which is to be the center of literary and scientific work in Canada. The frequent discovery of new diamond mine, in the Transvani and Orange River Celeny is resulting in important orders being placed with British manufacturers for diamond washing machinery.

The zebrula, the cross between the zebra and the horse, has been under test in Germany, and is claimed to be less liable to disease than the mule, liveller and better adapted to transport work,

Luring January and February 400 acres of high-grade cotton will be planted in Antigua. There are now 4,000 acres under cetton cultivation in the smaller islands of the West Indies. During the summer

ceived at Liverpool from Barbados, and it was declared to be the best cotton ever seen in England. FITZ LEE MARKING TIME.

What He Said to Col. W. J. Bryan

Upon a Memorable Occasion. General Fitzhugh Lee, who combined with a business trip to New York the pleasure of meeting army associates and the response to the toast, "Virginia, Her Washington, Her Lee," at the dinner of the Confederate Veterans' Camp, is stay ng at the Waldorf. Allusion being made a his presence to the repudiation of Bryanism by Congressman John Sharp Wil-llams, Democratic leader of the House, General Lee said: "I quite agree that the Democrats would be unwise to enter a and courageous officer.

We could robbed while in the custody of the officers. And at the trial of the accused the case was dismissed without any attempt having been made to secure the barried of the same three the same cannot rest where it is. The finding of the board creates an impossible situation.

Our Outlay for Roads.

Few people in Virginia, we imagine, realize how much the tax-payers of this state are now expending annually on their roads. For the year ending July 1, 1903, the county of Accomae expended for finls purpose \$12,777; Alexandria, \$15.

**S55.* Amberst, about \$12,000; Chesterfeld, about \$12,000; Bath, \$16,500; Bedford, nearly \$12,000; Campbell, over \$12,000; Chesterfeld, about \$10,000; Franklin, over \$1,000; Malfax, ver \$12,000; Chesterfeld, about \$10,000; Franklin, over \$1,000; Malfax, \$10,500; Bedford, Bedfo campaign on dead issues, when there The American Press Humorists will hold their annual convention this year at 8t. Louis during the week beginning Slay 25. On the evening of June 3 the introduction of the clus by the Hustness Men's League of St. Louis Among the speakers will be tendered a banquet at one of the clus by the Hustness Men's League of St. Louis. Among the speakers will be the lion. Champ Clark. "Ifmnorist of the National House of Representatives," stugene F. Ware, one of the things that is the matter with Kansas, poet and United States pension commissioner; the Rev. Robert J. Burdette, "perpetual press on and pastor emeritus of the American Press Humorists," also Ell Perkins, "colotifated as two of the biggest Hars in America," A pilgrimage will be made to trained as two of the biggest Hars in America. A pilgrimage will be made to trained as the colotifated as two of the biggest Hars in America. Twith day at the fair, Indeed, indications are for a perfect debauch of circum for the state of the state o

Gold Medal CLEVELAND THE MAN At Pan-American Exposition

Only One Whom Democrats Can Elect President, Says Colonel J. N. Staples.

GETS HIS MONEY BACK AGAIN

Mr. Godfrey Not Only Recovers His Bonds, But Reward He Paid for Their Return.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 2.-General RALEIGII, N. C., Feb. 2.—General Superintendent E. Borden and General Manager J. R. Kenly, of the Atlantic Goast Line, were here to-day, to be heard on the exceptions by that company to the Manager J. R. Kenly, of the Atlantic

order of the commission for the operation of additional trains between Rocky Mount and Selma, in order to connect with the Southern trains from Selma to the western part of the State. The commission takes the matter under advise-

certificate of the dissolution of the

ment.

A certificate of the dissolution of the Monarch Heating and Condensing Company, of Greensboro, was filed with the Secretary of State to-day. The stockholders were William Tate, Paul C. Tate and L. M. Coble.

Another company dissolved was the Bobbit Drug Company, of this city. This was the concern that manufactured Rheumacide here before the larger company was organized about a year ago in Baltimore and the plant moved there. J. H. Bobbit, J. L. Ramsey and R. T. Gray were the company.

Gray were the company.

The Secretary charteerd this morning the Gwyn and Horton Company, of North. Wilkesboro, to do a general insurance agency business, deat in stocks and bonds, etc. The capital is \$100,000 authorized, and the incorporators are R. W. Gwyn, H. W. Horton and others.

WANTS CLEVELIAND.

Colonel John N. Staples, of Greens-

Colonel John N, Staples, of Greens-ore, who was an elector for Gleveland boro, who was an elector for Geverand in 1884, was here to-day, and declared that Grover Cleveland is the only Demo-crat before the American people who could certainly be elected President. He said Cleveland is to-day the most augus said Cleverind is to-day the most august exponent of conservatism, patriotism and Americanism in the true sense of the terms before the public. The people have confidence in Cleveland, and Cleveland has confidence in the people, and when you bring these two things together you have an invincible combination. You may infer from this, he said, who I think should be nominated. Colonel Staples says there is every reason for the Democrats of Guilford and Major Charles M. Stedman's friends throughout the State to feel confident that he will receive the nomination for Governor at the peratic State Convention in the

United States District Attorney Skinner has received from the government a check for \$22,000, to be paid to H. T. Greenleaf, of Elizabeth City, for the site for the government building to be erected there. He will go at once to that place and close up the deal for the

The J. W. Scott Company, of Greens boro, has been authorized by the Secre tary of State to increase the amount of their outstanding preferred stock to the

their outstanding preferred stock to the amount of \$100,000. J. W. Scott is the president of the company.

Charters are granted for the Elizabeth City Publishing Company, with \$4,000 capital, and C. H. Robinson, principal incorporator; and to the Washington Fish corporator; and to the washington Fish and Produce Company, with \$10,000 capital; W. G. Bangam and D. V. Martin, principal incorporators.

GETS MONEY BACK.

J. L. Godfrey was here from Jonesboro yesterday, and received from Charles C.

Lorse of Goldsborn, the remaining \$500

yesterasy, and received from chartes C.
Jones of Goldsbore, the remaining \$500
of the \$1,000 that he paid for the return
of the two \$1,000 6 per cent, bonds that
were stolen by burgars at the time his
safe was blown open two years ago. It
will be remembered that after the investigation recently by the Wake grand
twy. Colonel J. C. L. Harris returned to jury, Colonel J. C. L. Harris returned to Godfrey the \$250 counsel fee he received Gottrey the \$20 counsel res he received from Jones for negotiating the return of the bonds for the \$1,000, and that H. P. Dortch returned the \$250 to Godfrey that he received from Jones for the part he took in engaging Colone. Harris as

trait air, whiteoy, of king william courty, has offered a bill in the House for protecton of game by confining dogs from May 1st to October 1st. This is a step in the right direction, and the gentieman from King and Queen should have gone further and so drawn his bill as not to allow dogs to run at large at all, except when being hunted by their owners. I am a countryman myself, and keep dogs. I know it to be a fact that dogs running at large destroy and run to death more game in my section of the State than any other evilour game is subjected to.

It would be less expense to owners to keep dogs confined, and when they hunted them, dogs would be in better condition to hunt, and there would be more game to hunt.

In my section there is schreely a day in the year that dogs cannot be heard running deer, in season and out of season. They catch and kill young turkeys, birds, &c. I have long wished to see a law that would put a stop to this evil, and I trust our member from Lunenburg will lend his every effort in behalf of this will.

The bill should by all means be amended so that dogs will not be allowed to run at large at all, except when hunted counsel. James Byrd has been acquitted of the charge of the murder of Delmo King. It is a remarkable fact that Byrd actually told three different people on the man that he had killed ing, but a number of reputable witnesses testified a to the whereabouts of Byrd during the to the whereabouts of Byrd during the night in such a way as to prove a complete allbi for him, necessitating his discharge. Byrd was crazed by drink, and it is chimed that his idea that he killed King was an hallucination. It will be remembered that King was found on the Southern Railway track.

INJUNCTION DISSOLVED AND SALOONS ARE OPEN

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 2.-Judge Ferguson to-day issued an order dissolv-ing the injunction which closed the sa-loons of Jacksonville, Onslow county The plaintiffs appealed to the Supreme The bill should by all means be amended so that dogs will not be allowed to run at large at all, except when hunted or run by owners or keepers. I am sure the country people from all over the State, who take an interest in the preservation of our game, and who enjoy an occasional day's sport, will favor this bill. With such a law, our game would rapidly increase, particularly deer and turkeys. Under present conditions neither of above can possibly breed and rear young while being run to death by dogs.

The plaintiffs uppealed to the Supreme Court.

The temperance forces of Jacksonville carried a recent election, but the election was held after the saloons had been grunted license for six months, beginning January 1st. The temperance people sued out an injunction closing the saloons. Judge Ferguson's ruling allows the saloons to resume business. The question of the legality of the election, which was raised by the whiskey men, was not touched upon in the order.

tion, which was not touched upon in the or-der.

The ruling by the Supreme Court will be of great importance. It is the first question of the kind which has ever found its way into court.

ONE JUROR LACKING TO COMPLETE PANEL

(Special to The Times-Disputch.) WILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 2.—Supe WILMINGTON, N. C., Feb. 2.—Superlor Court to-day exhausted the second yenird or 250 men in selecting a jury to try S. Hill Terry for murder. The first ventre yielded seven jurors, and the second, which mude five hundred in all, produced four more. One juror is lacking to

RELIEVE AND OURD Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, and Sore Throat. Fac Simile Signature of Signatu

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to severe changes of weather. I con- ulate the nerves, and to fortify the system tracted Le. Grippe so seriously that my unust fresh attacks of disease. friends and the physician who was treat-

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-Professor Edward F. Phelps, M. D. LL. D. of Dartmouth College, the femous Discoverer of Paine's Celery Compound.

complete the panel, and a third venire of 75 was drawn late this afternoon.

The last juror will no doubt be secured to-morrow. Then the case will proceed without further delay. It has taken one week to select eleven jurors, and the case will run at least a week longer, about a hundred witnesses will testify. The trial is one of the most interesting in the platery of the county, and each day the history of the county, and each day the court room is packed.

SOUTH DAKOTA CASE.

Gov. Aycock Will Determine His Course After Careful Reflection. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.

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RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 2.—Governor Aycock said to-day, regarding the result of
the South Dakota case, that until he receives the opinion and dissenting opinion
of the United States Supreme Court he
cannot determine what course the State
will take.

In the meantime he does not think it is
time to discuss' the probabilities of a
compromise with Schaefer and Company
for remaining outstanding bonds. The
course that will eventually be taken will
be based on a careful study of the entire situation.

He says the opinion of the court was
a great surprise to him, and, he thinks,
to the legal profession generally.

Makes an Assignment.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
WILSON, N. C., Feb. 2.—James I. Thomason, proprietor of the china palace, made an assignment this afternoon for the benefit of his creditors, naming H. G. Cannon, Jr., trustee. There are no preferred creditors.

North Carolina Sentiment. With some giee the Winston-Salem Sentinel makes this note:

The time was—not so very long ago-when Liverpool fixed the price of Amer-ican cotton. She does, not now a fact that the English mill interests think over with bitgerness those days.

The Charlotte Chronicle says: The Charlotte Chronicle Says:
Travelers say that the climate of Korea is about like that or the hill country
of North Carolina. Assuming this to be
true, Russia and Japan will have a pieasant country to fight in. One of the agricultural products of Korea is cotton.

Discussing the Panama question and Senator Simmons's position on the same, the Concord Tribune says:

Concord Tribune says:

The question is one above partisan politics, and in voting for the ratification of the treaty Mr. Simmons is taking such a stand as any patriotic, statesman-like senator can stand by and is also noting in line with the great majority of the American people, who would vote overwhelmingly for its ratification.

On the same subject the Raleigh News-

On the same subject the received of opinion in North Carolina with reference to the Panama affair. Those who believe in digning the Panama (Samouns's) position. Those who put a strict-adherence to treative obligations and the laws of the country above ditch digging will not agree with him.

The Wilmington Messenger also discusses Panania and the senator's speech,

and says:

What we want is to see this canal built. To reject the pending treaty will indefinitely postpone its construction. Rosesvelt and his Cabinet have acted improperly in bringing about the presentate of affairs, the public should know it, but that fact should not be allowed to stand in the way of securing the construction of the canal.

Ignorance Is Bliss.

We are in receipt of several notes in-quiring if some one did not once write a "beautiful and touching poem, beginning." Oh, the snow, the beautiful snow, sus-gesting that now would be an appropriate filme to repyint it, "together," as one lady says, "with the name of the author," 'There must have been a poem of the kind written, as so many talented persons are reminded of it, but we do not recall the

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lines or the name of the author, and hence the presence of the fleery with us will have to go uncetebrated in verse.— Chattanooga Times. Pastor Called.

(Special to The Times Dispatch.)
TAZIZWELL, VA., Feb. 2.—Rev. H. M.
Fugate, of Graywon country. Va. was called to the pastorate of the Baptist Church here Sunday.